

<b>Columbia Congregational Church Council Meeting</b>		<b>Meeting Date:</b>	Tuesday, September 22, 2015
<b>Attendees:</b>	Polly Hinckley (Historian & Woman's Guild, Music), Debby Smith (Christian Education), Kathy Chapman (President), Mark Smith (Treasurer), David Parmenter (Board of Finance), Charlotte Sabine (Deacon), Don Doucette (Trustees), John Polglase (Christian Concern), Donna Doucette (Nominating), Pastor Betsey.		

### Discussion Items & Motions

1. **Meeting called to order at 7:05 PM** by Kathy Chapman
2. **Pastor Betsy led the group in prayer.**
3. **Minutes of Previous Meeting**
  - a. Donna motioned and Dave seconded to accept the minutes of August 28<sup>th</sup> with the following corrections: 6b- change continue to no longer, 8a-contact to contract, 8c- outside trim on the hall windows. All in favor; Pastor Betsy and John abstained.

4. **Land transfer from town**

On Tuesday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, Pastor Betsy and Kathy will meet with the town planner. Don may also attend.

Jones estate still pending.

5. **Confirmation Class-**

There are three possibilities. Pastor Betsy has contacted them about starting. An introductory meeting will be held on October 5<sup>th</sup>.

6. **Church Fair Update - November 7<sup>th</sup>**

The usual help is needed. Charlotte will do the chowder, John will help with sandwiches, Kathy will do attic treasures and Donna will help.

John is working on finding replacement lights to be installed in the sanctuary.

Elevator seems to be working. A new service company is in place.

Next Meeting is Wednesday, October 28<sup>th</sup>.

7. **Adjourn-**

John motioned to adjourn the meeting; Polly seconded the motion; all in favor; Meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Debby Smith